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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 CFR 1.53 is the patent application of

Mr. Denis Couillard

entitled A permanent tank adapted to a geothermal system for eliminating air into the pipes of the geothermal system

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 9 pages of written description, claims and abstract.
- ☒ 4 sheets of drawings.
- ☐ an assignment of the invention to _____
- ☒ executed declaration of the inventors.
- ☐ a certified copy of a _____ application.
- ☐ associate power of attorney.
- ☒ a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☐ information disclosure statement
- ☐ preliminary amendment
- ☐ other: _____

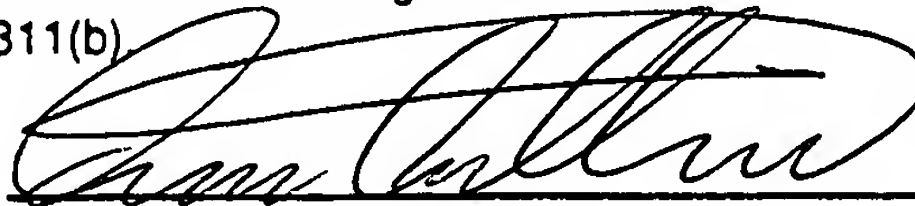
CLAIMS AS FILED

	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE			\$750	\$750
TOTAL CLAIMS	- 20 =	*	x \$9	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	- 3 =	*	x \$42	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			\$140	
* NUMBER EXTRA MUST BE ZERO OR LARGER			TOTAL	\$ 750
If applicant has small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.			SMALL ENTITY TOTAL	\$ 375

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 375.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. _____ as described below. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.
 - ☐ Charge the amount of \$ _____ as filing fee
 - ☐ Credit any overpayment.
 - ☐ Charge any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.
 - ☐ Charge the issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).

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